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ATHENS RADIO REPORTS PROVISIONS ON RESTORING POLITICAL FREEDOMS  
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(TEXT) THE LEGISLATIVE DECREE ON THE REFUNCTIONING OF  
POLITICAL PARTIES PROVIDES FOR THE FOLLOWING:

THE FORMATION OF POLITICAL PARTIES AND THE REFUNCTIONING OF  
THOSE THAT WERE DISSOLVED IN THE PAST IS FREELY PERMITTED.

BEFORE ANY ACTIVITY, THE POLITICAL PARTIES ARE OBLIGED TO SUBMIT  
TO THE SUPREME COURT PUBLIC PROSECUTOR A STATEMENT BY THEIR LEADER  
OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVE COMMITTEE IN WHICH IT MUST BE STATED THAT  
THEIR PRINCIPAL PURPOSE IS NOT TO ENGAGE IN ANY ACTIVITY AIMED AT THE SEIZURE OF  
POWER BY FORCE OR THE OVERTHROW OF THE FREE DEMOCRATIC REGIME.

ARTICLE THREE OF THE LEGISLATIVE DECREE ABOLISHES LEGISLATIVE  
DECREE 800 OF 1971 CONCERNING POLITICAL PARTIES AND EMERGENCY  
LAW 509 OF 1948 CONCERNING MEASURES FOR THE STATE'S SECURITY  
AND SUPPLEMENTED BY A LEGISLATIVE DECREE OF 1962 REGULATING  
MATTERS WHICH CONCERN THE COUNTRY'S SECURITY.

THE GOVERNMENT GAZETTE ALSO PUBLISHES A PRESIDENTIAL DECREE  
LIFTING THE SUSPENSION OF THE VALIDITY OF ARTICLES 11  
AND 20 OF THE CONSTITUTION CONCERNING (THE RIGHT TO--FBIS)  
ASSEMBLY AND TO FORM ASSOCIATIONS. THIS DECREE STIPULATES THAT  
CASES PENDING AT MILITARY COURTS FOR VIOLATIONS OF ARTICLES 11  
AND 20 OF THE CONSTITUTION ARE TRANSFERRED TO THE COMPETENT  
ORDINARY PENAL COURTS.

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